






<b>WASTE MANAGEMENT POLICY</b>		
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## 1. Purpose

The purpose of the Waste Management Policy at Narayana Pharmacy College is to minimize waste generation, promote recycling and reuse, and ensure the safe and environmentally responsible disposal of all waste materials generated on campus.

## 2. Scope

This policy covers all types of waste generated at Narayana Pharmacy College, including solid waste, liquid waste, hazardous waste, e-waste, and biomedical waste. It applies to all academic, administrative, and operational activities within the college.

## 3. Policy Making

The Waste Management Policy is developed by the Waste Management Committee, comprising representatives from various departments, administrative staff, and student bodies. The committee is responsible for setting waste reduction targets and developing strategies to achieve them.

## 4. Effective Measures

- **Waste Segregation:** Implement a comprehensive waste segregation system to separate biodegradable, non-biodegradable, recyclable, and hazardous waste at the source.
- **Recycling Programs:** Establish recycling programs for paper, plastic, glass, metal, and e-waste, including partnerships with certified recycling companies.
- **Composting:** Set up composting facilities for organic waste from food services, landscaping, and other sources.
- **Hazardous Waste Management:** Develop procedures for the safe handling, storage, and disposal of hazardous and biomedical waste, in compliance with regulatory requirements.





- **Awareness and Education:** Conduct regular workshops, seminars, and campaigns to educate the college community about waste reduction, recycling, and responsible waste disposal practices.
- **Sustainable Procurement:** Promote the purchase of products that are recyclable, reusable, or made from recycled materials to reduce waste generation.

## 5. Implementation

The implementation of the Waste Management Policy involves:

- **Waste Management Committee:** Overseeing the implementation of the policy and coordinating waste management activities across departments.
- **Waste Collection System:** Establishing an efficient waste collection system with clearly marked bins for different types of waste.
- **Partnerships:** Collaborating with local waste management authorities and recycling companies for the proper disposal and recycling of waste.
- **Monitoring and Reporting:** Setting up a system to monitor waste generation, track progress towards waste reduction goals, and report outcomes to the college administration and stakeholders.

## 6. Problem Solving

Addressing waste-related issues involves:

- **Feedback Mechanism:** Creating a feedback mechanism for staff and students to report waste management issues or suggest improvements.
- **Action Plans:** Developing action plans to address identified issues, with clear timelines and responsibilities.
- **Continuous Improvement:** Regularly reviewing and updating waste management practices to incorporate new technologies and methods.





### **7. Responsibility**

The Waste Management Committee, led by a designated Waste Coordinator, is responsible for the overall management and execution of the Waste Management Policy. All members of the college community are expected to adhere to the policy and participate in waste reduction efforts.

### **8. Evaluation**

Regular evaluations will be conducted to assess the effectiveness of the policy, with adjustments made as necessary to ensure continuous improvement and alignment with best practices in waste management.

By adhering to this Waste Management Policy, Narayana Pharmacy College aims to reduce its environmental impact, promote sustainability, and foster a culture of responsible waste management within the college community.

